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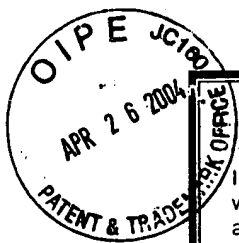
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Edgewater, New Jersey 07020
April 21, 2004

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Please insert Continuing Data as Claimed by Applicant as follows:

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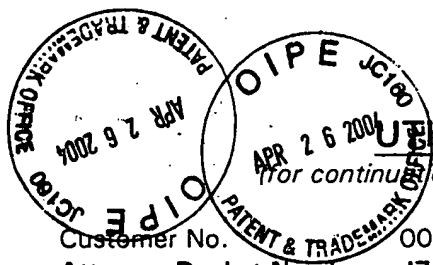
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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Attorney Docket Number: J7127(V)
Applicant: Davies et al.
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1. ☒ Fee Calculation (Box 15) and Authorization (Triplicate copies of this form are enclosed)
2. ☒ Specification and Claims (14) Total Pages
3. ☒ Formal Drawings (3) Total Sheets
4. ☒ Executed Declaration
 - a. ☐ New
 - b. ☒ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 14 completed).
 - i. ☐ Signed statement attached deleting inventors named in the prior application (37C.F.R. § 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)).
5. ☒ Incorporation by reference (*useable if Box 4(b) is checked*). The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the declaration is supplied under Box 4(b), is considered as being part of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference herein.
6. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
 - a. ☐ Computer Readable Copy
 - b. ☐ Paper copy (identical to computer copy)
 - c. ☐ Statement verifying identify of above copies.

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7. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449
8. ☒ Copies of IDS citations
9. ☒ Preliminary Amendment
10. ☒ Two (2) Return Receipt Postcards
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 - a. ☒ The prior application is assigned to Unilever Home & Personal Care USA, Division of Conopco, Inc.
 - b. ☒ Priority of foreign application No. 01305693.2 filed on June 29, 2001, in the country of Europe is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119. A certified copy of the foreign priority application has been filed in prior application Serial No. 10/183,791 filed on June 27, 2002.

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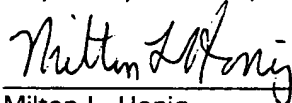
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